

DEMANDS MADE BY THE DOUMA

Russian People Want The Whole Freedom
Promised All At Once, It Appears.

PRESENTED TO TOWER PARLIAMENT

Death Penalty Abolishment, Suspension Of Martial Law
And Full Civil Liberty Among The
Demands Made.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
St. Petersburg, May 15.—The draft of the address to the throne in reply to the speech of the czar, the opening of the parliament has been presented to the Tower house of parliament today. It is ultra radical and shows the work of the extremists in the Douma. The commission in charge of the proposed document presented it merely for discussion.

Not Complete.
The document is not yet completed nor passed upon by the Tower parliament as yet but is merely in the form of a report. General amnesty is the first and principal demand made and the others are of as radical a nature.

Some Of The Conditions.
Among the conditions exacted are general amnesty, the abolition of the death penalty, the suspension of all martial law and all the exceptional laws which are disliked by the people and full civil liberty for all the people.

The abolishment of the council of the empire is a direct hit at the grand dukes and the bureaucracy. The revision of the fundamental laws is also demanded and the establishment of the responsibility of ministers.

In Conclusion.
In conclusion the committee modestly requested that the right of interpellations and the forced explanations of all land guarantees and the rights of the trade unions to be recognized.

Is Too Drastic.
The general opinion is that the Tower chamber parliament will not present the report of the committee in full as it is considered too drastic and would doubtless be defeated.

The Conclusion.
The reply to the speech from the throne concludes as follows: "Parliament awaits full political amnesty as the first pledge of mutual understanding in the future and concord between the Emperor and people."

RUSSIAN WORKMEN GO BACK TO WORK

The May Day Strikes Are Now About
Over In All The Russian Em-
pire and Provinces.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
St. Petersburg, May 15.—The May day strike is ended and the workmen at St. Petersburg and generally throughout the country resumed work today.

BEGIN EXAMINATIONS OF COAL INDUSTRIES

Interstate Commerce Commission to
Investigate Railroads and
Coal Deals.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Philadelphia, Pa., May 15.—The entire interstate commerce commission met here today to resume investigation into the alleged connections between the railroads and the large coal companies.

JAMES A. COYE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Grand Rapids, Mich., May 15.—James A. Coyer, a prominent republican politician and collector of customs at this port, died today of apoplexy.

Cottonseed Crushers Meet

Atlanta, Ga., May 15.—Several hundred members of the Interstate Cottonseed Crushers' association, representing an aggregate capital of \$100,000,000 and coming from all the states between New York and the Rio Grande, were present today at the opening of the association's annual convention in this city. The gathering will be in session three days and judging from the importance of the matters scheduled for discussion it will be the most notable convention the organization ever has held. Foreign tariffs which operate against cotton oil products will receive attention and plans will be discussed in a general way for the extension of the foreign markets for American cotton oil products. The officers in charge of the convention are: President, J. C. Hamilton of Baton Rouge, La.; vice president, F. H. Bailey of Paris, Texas; secretary and treasurer, Robert Gibson of Dallas, Texas.

Fred Beell Will Wrestle
Worcester, Mass., May 15.—Considerable interest is manifested in the wrestling bout scheduled to take place here, tonight between Fred Beell, the Wisconsin wrestler, and Hjalmar Lundin. Both have been training faithfully and appear to be in superb condition for the bout.

Woman's Golf Championship

London, May 15.—The British women's golf championship opened auspiciously today on the links at Burnham in Somersetshire and will continue through the remainder of the week. Eight American women competed at Cromer last year, but this year there are no entries from the United States. Bertha Thomson, the Yorkshire player who is the present holder of the championship, is generally regarded as likely to retain the title.

Eastern Star of Georgia

Rome, Ga., May 15.—The Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star of Georgia met here today and will remain in session over tomorrow. About 100 delegates from various parts of the state are in attendance. Miss S. M. Hubbard of Macon and John P. Davis of Rome are the presiding officers.

MEMORY OF PATRICK GILMORE HONORED

High Tribute In Form of Mammoth
Concert to Famous Ameri-
can Band Leader.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, May 15.—The memory of Patrick S. Gilmore, the famous band leader of whom it has been said that "the magic wave of his baton did more toward banishing the sinister memories of civil strife than the rap of the statesman's gavel in the halls of legislation," is to be honored tonight as the memory of a band leader never before has been honored. The tribute is to take the form of a mammoth concert in Madison Square Garden. The plans have been under way for two years and the artistic success of the affair is assured. One thousand musicians are to take part and John Philip Sousa, Victor Herbert, Walter Damrosch and Frank Damrosch will be the conductors. In addition many eminent vocalists have volunteered their services.

ALTERS HIS PLANS TO EXPOSITION PROJECT

J. S. Berger Now Plans to Hold a
Merchants' Exposition in
Janesville.

J. S. Berger of Chicago had a meeting this afternoon with the Mayor and members of the license commission relative to his proposed Merchants' Exposition to be held here some time in June or July. It was verbally agreed at the meeting that Mr. Berger be granted permission to bring his exposition to the city and exhibit it in an enclosed plot of ground. In speaking of his plans, Mr. Berger said this afternoon: "What I purpose is holding a genuine fair without the horse-racing features. It is to be in an enclosed plot of land with one admission charged at the gate. The exact location has not yet been decided upon, but I have several in view. It is to be directly under the direction of the Mayor and police, who will act as censors. I promise the people of Janesville good attractions and none of the objectionable features of the street carnival of former years. The exact date is not yet decided." Mr. Berger is sole owner of his shows and says they are first class. He is stopping at the Myers while in the city.

Episcopal Church Congress

Philadelphia, Pa., May 15.—Prominent clergy and laymen of the Episcopal church are here from all parts of the country to take part in the annual session of the Episcopal Church congress. The formal opening took place in St. James' church today, with an address by Bishop Peterkin of West Virginia. The first regular session takes place tonight, when "The Problem of Child Protection" will be discussed. Among the persons of note who are to speak during the three days' sessions are Hon. Alton B. Parker of New York, Bishop Edsall of Minnesota, Prof. James H. Dillard of New Orleans, Bishop Gailor of Tennessee, and Bishop McVicker of Rhode Island.

Charged With Murder

Caldwell, Idaho, May 15.—The term of court which opened here today, Judge Smith presiding, will be rendered notable by the trials of Moyer, Haywood, and others who are charged with the murder of ex-Governor Frank Steunenberg. It is expected that the taking of evidence will commence about June 11.



The American Indian to the Filipino—When you see that fellow coming you'd better sidestep. Ugh! Heap worse than soldier.

AMERICAN MUSEUM ASSOCIATION TO BE

Scientific Men Meet at New York to
Form Such An Organization—
Like in England.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, May 15.—A meeting of unusual scientific interest was held today at the American Museum of Natural History, having for its object the initiation steps in the formation of an American Museum association, analogous to that which exists in Great Britain and Ireland. The membership will include representatives of the various scientific museums of the United States and Canada, and the various countries of South America, also will be invited to affiliate. Dr. W. J. Holland, director of the Carnegie Museum in Pittsburgh, is the projector of the movement.

MILITARY KITCHEN CAR RECOMMENDED

Will Be Used in Transferring Troops,
Making Government Independent
of Restaurants.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, May 15.—The secretary of war has approved the recommendation of the quartermaster general and the commissary general in favor of a kitchen car for military purposes. This car will be used on occasions of the transfer of large bodies of troops over distances which require a period of forty-eight hours or more. It has been found by a practical experiment that money is saved and the men provided with better food by having an improvised kitchen attached to the train which carries them long distances, such as is involved in a transfer of troops across the continent. Hitherto there has been more or less dependence upon the restaurants and other facilities en route.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

After a recess of six weeks the Wisconsin legislative investigating committee yesterday resumed in inquiry into the state university. The first session was secret.

Ed Freeman, foreman in the case-making department of the Van Buren factories at Horicon, Wis., was waylaid and robbed of \$108 and his gold watch while on his way to pay the men.

The reported loss of the blueberry crop and other small fruits of early variety by the recent frosts in the vicinity of Black River Falls, Wis., is unfounded. The prospect of a big crop was never better.

The trial of French Hildreth, alias Collo, charged with murder in the first degree for the killing of James C. Shellenbarger, sheriff of Knox County, Ohio, near the Hildreth home in Miller township on the evening of May 21 last year, has commenced.

Though Colonel D. Frank Powell (White Beaver) was buried in Los Angeles, a monument will be erected to him at La Crosse. A movement is under way to procure a large marble image of a beaver, which will be placed in a park there, to be paid for by public subscription.

TRIBE OF BEN HUR SUPREME SITTING

Organization Has Membership of Hun-
dred Thousand and Hundred Fif-
ty Delegates Are Present.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Crawfordsville, Ind., May 15.—The supreme sitting of the Tribe of Ben Hur, a fraternal organization with a membership of 100,000, principally in Indiana and neighboring states, began in this city today. About 150 delegates were present at the opening. The reports of the supreme officers for the year show a gratifying gain in the membership and finances of the order.

FLORIDA PRIMARY EQUALS ELECTION

Choice Now Will Be Permanent Un-
less Opposition Candidate
Is Named.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Jacksonville, Fla., May 15.—The democratic state primary throughout Florida today is for members of congress and members of the state legislature, together with various local and county officers. Though no important state offices are to be filled the campaign has been a very spirited one in certain sections of the state and the outcome is awaited with interest. The primary is equivalent to an election, but if a second primary is necessary it will be held next month.

Denver's City Election

Denver, Colo., May 15.—Denver is holding an election today for members of the board of aldermen and several minor city officials. The taxpayers are also given an opportunity to vote on the question of granting the franchises asked by the Denver City Tramway company, and it is this feature of the election in which the public is displaying most interest.

Nebraska G. A. R.

Lincoln, Neb., May 15.—The business section of the city is gay with the national colors in honor of the annual encampment of the G. A. R. department of Nebraska, which will be in session during the next few days. The affiliated bodies meet at the same time and in point of attendance the combined gathering promises to be one of the largest of recent years. Much interest is displayed in the contest for the office of department commander for the ensuing year. Those most prominently mentioned for the honor are Andy Trainor of Omaha, H. W. George of Broken Bow, and former Adjutant General James D. Gage of this city. Officers of the national organization and other veterans of note are to speak at the evening campfires during the reunion.

Car Service Managers

Denver, Colo., May 15.—The National Association of Car Service Managers began its annual convention in this city today, the place of meeting being the assembly rooms of the Adams hotel. Car service rules, office methods and accounting are the principal topics scheduled for discussion during the several days the convention will be in session. The association of Transportation and Car Accounting Officers meets in annual session here Thursday.

Buy it in Janesville.

WOULD SUSPEND CRAPSEY UNTIL LATER TIME WHEN HE CAN SHOW HIS FAITH

Verdict In The Noted Heresy Case In Roches-
ter Brings It To A Close

Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Rochester, N. Y., May 15.—The verdict in the heresy trial of Rev. Dr. Algernon S. C. Crapsey was today delivered to the accused minister. Four of the jurors state in their opinion the sentence should be passed as follows: "That the respondent should be suspended from exercising the functions of the church until such time as he shall satisfy the ecclesiastical authorities of the diocese that his belief and teaching conform to the doctrines of the Apostles creed and the Nicene creed as this church hath received the same. However, we express earnest hope and desire the respondent may see his way clearly during thirty days that under the canons of the church must intervene before sentence can be pronounced, to give full satisfaction to the ecclesiastical authorities of such conformity on his part."

TELEGRAPH OPERATOR RUNS AMUCK IN ATLANTA

Kills One Man And Dangerously Wounds Sev-
eral Others--He Is Now In

Hiding.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Atlanta, Ga., May 15.—James P. Clark, night operator at Chamblee, twelve miles northeast of Atlanta, late yesterday afternoon killed Will J. Cheek, a merchant at Dunwoody, and

ROOSEVELT APPROVES STEP TAKEN BY SECRETARY TAFT

Question Of Purchase Of The Supplies For
The Canal Zone Are Dis-

cussed.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, May 15.—The President today transmitted to congress a letter from Secretary Taft bearing on the controverted question of the right of the Isthmian Canal commission to purchase supplies abroad if they can be secured cheaper than in America. The President in a letter to Taft simply states the views expressed by the latter, in the affirmative, have his full approval.

ANOTHER MINE EXPLOSION OCCURS IN COAL REGIONS

Sixteen Men Were In The Shaft At Shenan-
doah When The Accident
Happened.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Shenandoah, Pa., May 15.—An explosion of gas occurred at the Shenandoah City colliery of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company today. Sixteen men were in the mine at the time. The fire boss, Samuel Powell, was the first person taken from the mine and he is so terribly burned he will probably die. It is now known seven miners were killed and twelve badly burned, all foreigners, by the explosion of the dynamite charge. A box of dynamite which workmen were carrying, fell from the holder and caused the explosion, which ignited the mine gas. There were about fifty men at work in the shaft.

RAILROAD RATE BILL HAS ITS TROUBLES IN SENATE

Lodge's Amendment Is Being Discussed This
Afternoon By The Sen-
ators.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, May 15.—The senate began its consideration of the railroad rate bill today by taking up Lodge's amendment providing for the increase of the interstate commerce commission to nine members, requiring one to be appointed from each judicial circuit in the country. Senator Hopkins opposed the amendment on the grounds it would deprive the commission of its national character. Tillman's Stand

In the senate today Tillman presented a statement, a memorandum from ex-Senator Chandler, regarding the court review amendment of the railroad rate bill. It was the same statement made by Tillman on Saturday last.

JUDGE CURRIER DIES SUDDENLY

Founder of First Newspaper in
Stoughton and a Pioneer.
Stoughton, Wis., May 15.—George W. Currier, for many years justice of the peace in this city and one of the best-known insurance men in Dane county, died suddenly Monday of heart disease. Mr. Currier was born in Topham, Vt., May 9, 1847. In 1866 he came west and located in Rock county on a farm. In 1877 he started the Stoughton Courier. Judge Currier was always a staunch republican. He was a member and trustee of the First Methodist Episcopal church. A wife, son, daughter, and a brother.

Missionary Women Meet

Winnipeg, Man., May 15.—The western section of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Presbyterian church convened in Winnipeg today for a session that will last until Friday. About 300 delegates and visitors, including several noted missionaries, are in attendance. A review of the past work of the society and the discussion of plans for its future missionary effort will occupy the convention.

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Rats!

Evening Wisconsin: The Madison State Journal has a quaint idea, and remarks: "The rat is said to have increased in Wisconsin of late years. Probably this is because we have become such a cheese state." Then it propounds an alternative theory: "It is quite possible that the abundance of wheat and the greater acreage of corn has had something to do with it. Rats can get into corn sheds. More corn sheds, more rats." Still there remains a possibility that both these ingenious theories may be unfounded, for there is no absolute certainty that rats in Wisconsin are more numerous than of yore. Reliable statistics on the subject are lacking. There is no state census of rats.

A CROWN OF GLORY

As Well as a Mark of Beauty is Luxurious Hair.

It has been truly said that the crowning glory of our race is a luxuriant head of hair.

It used to be thought that this was one of the blessings which the gods bestow capriciously, and it is only recently that scientists have discovered that its beauty is dependent upon the absence of a minute germ which flourishes in the hair follicles, where it destroys the life of the hair.

To restore this life and kill the germs which cause the mischief is the mission of Newbro's Herpicide.

Herpicide surely kills the germs, and is the best hair dressing on the market.

It contains no grease or oil, neither will it stain or dye.

Sold by leading druggists. Send ten cents in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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Nothing can take the place of the telephone for drumming up business.

Ask your local manager for rates.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY OF ROCK

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of December, A. D. 1936, being December 2nd, 1936, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against Milton Wells, late of Janesville, town of Plymouth, in said county, deceased.

All claims must be presented for allowance at said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 15th day of November, A. D. 1936, or be barred.

Dated May 15th, 1936.

By the Court: County Judge.

A. M. Fisher, Atty. for Executrix.

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COUNCIL HELD
BUSY SESSION

CONSIDERED NUMEROUS INTERESTING PLEAS AND PETITIONS.

MOVE TO DISLodge M'KUNE

May Be Checkmated by Mayor's Veto—Carnival Matter Up Again—Pest-House Project.

At another protracted session last evening the city council received and passed on the reports of the city treasurer, the city marshal, the board of education, and the municipal court; entertained several interesting petitions; made the Janesville Daily Gazette the official city newspaper and accepted the Gazette Publishing Co.'s bond for \$100 for the faithful performance of duty; and transacted other important business which is hereafter presented in detail. The finance committee in its report on bills disallowed, pending investigation, that of Fred Shaw for the care of a patient at the isolation hospital, that of G. D. Cannon for \$107 for the construction of a cement foundation and floor for the Riverside Park bandstand; that of the Janesville Contracting Co. for \$5 for the removal of a street light; the bonds of G. A. Crossman; Thomas McKune, assistant street commissioner; and Dr. E. D. Roberts, member of fire and police commission, were found in due form and accepted. Further time was granted the judiciary committee for the consideration of Peter G. Strickler's notice of injury. The application of Ada R. Brunson for permission to erect a 5x10 foot one-story addition to property fronting on 107 Wall street was granted. The assistant street commissioner's report on sidewalks needed was adopted and the street commissioner was instructed to serve notice on property holders affected thereby. Proposals from Messrs. Murphy and Boos for sprinkling the street intersections during the summer season were accepted.

Petitions Considered
 Having learned of the possibility of a new tobacco warehouse being erected on the Mitchell property and of the C. & N. W. Ry. Co. asking for a franchise to build a spur track along Pleasant street to the site of C. W. Price, Amos Rebers, J. M. Thayer, Geo. Kasner, W. A. Murray, B. H. Baldwin, Martin Delaney, Hugh M. Joyce, A. N. Gleason, Thomas Dalton, W. H. K. Macdon, Dr. J. P. Pembler, Mrs. K. Richter, W. H. Ashcraft, F. C. Burpee, Mrs. McShane, S. C. Cobb, and over a dozen others filed a protest against a favorable action by the council, stating that such track would depreciate the value of their property. The matter was referred to the aldermen of the first and fifth wards and on their motion was simply placed on file. The original proposition with which it was concerned not having been brought before the council for consideration, taxpayers in Forest Park (C. H. Weirick, A. N. Thorpe, E. P. Doty, Pliny Norcross, and 23 others) filed a protest against the removal of the arc light from the corner of Garfield and Oakland avenues, stating that the same was transferred without their knowledge or any warning and that the corner, left in darkness, both on account of the sharp turn of the street-car line and the congregation there of disorderly boys and men had become a dangerous spot for the wayfarer at night. They asked that the light be restored. The lighting committee was granted further time for the consideration of the matter. The petition of the Central Land Co.—M. G. Jeffris, president—for permission to move the Madison House, now located on lots 16, 17, and 18 of Mitchell's fourth addition, sixty feet west was referred to the alderman of the ward and his motion that the privilege be granted was passed.

Railway Track on South Main St.
 Ald. Brockhaus introduced an ordinance granting to E. D. Roberts and G. U. Fisher of Janesville and the C. & N. W. Ry. Co. the right to extend the spur track on South Main street for the length of two rods opposite the site of the Rock County Concrete Stone Co. (the westerly lot, for the distance of 1 rod, to be four feet from the westerly line of the street and for another rod to be one foot from said line). After the measure had been read he moved that the rules be suspended and that it be given its second and third reading and placed on passage. Ald. Connell asked if it was not necessary that a measure granting a franchise of this kind be advertised for two weeks at the expense of the party benefited before it could even be considered by the City Fathers, and the mayor ruled that such was the case.

Property-Holders to Meet

By an order the city clerk was instructed to give notice to owners of property fronting on Terrace street from Mineral Point avenue to West Bluff and Academy street from Ravine to West Bluff to meet with the aldermen of the first ward Saturday evening, May 15, to consider the proposed grading and laying of cement gutters on those thoroughfares. Alderman

AND NOW IT'S CHICO CIGARS

Interesting Talk by Smith Drug Co. on What Makes a Cigar Popular.

The remarkable success of Wadsworth Bros. Chico cigar in getting into the mouths of smokers in Janesville is astonishing.

Less than a year ago the Chico was unknown here. Today it is the most popular cigar in Smith Drug Co.'s large stock.

"Advertising alone will not make a cigar popular," said Mr. Smith. "A cigar must be good to meet with a sale in this city. I do not know of a town where the smokers are as discriminating as they are in Janesville, and the fact that they have made Wadsworth Bros. Chico their favorite, speaks volumes for its quality. While it sells for 5c, it is better than the average ten center, so that it reaches all classes of smokers. It is an all long Havana filler cigar, and a good one, that I am glad to recommend to my customers."

Some Orders Passed

Orders were passed authorizing the fire department to sell to the street commissioner's department at one-third of the original cost 300 feet of fire hose, took week for its uses. The city engineer was instructed to make a survey of Champion street in Hamilton's addition in the fourth ward. Rubbish on the south side of Terrace street was ordered removed. Property owners on Prairie avenue from the north side of St. Mary's avenue to Benton street, and on Yuba, Ruger, and Liberty streets were given permission to build four-foot walks. Prairie avenue from Glen to St. Mary's was ordered repaired. The street commissioner was instructed to build a brick crosswalk on the north side of Fourth avenue across Caroline street; to clean South Second street and the gutters on Oakland avenue

Brockhaus offered a resolution providing for the improvement of South Main street from the south side of Sharon to the south side of Cuthbert street, by laying of cement curbing and gutters and directing the street assessment committee to view the premises, determine the benefits and damages, and assess the same to the parcels of real estate fronting thereon. Ald. Wait objected to the passage of such a resolution, stating that he had heard nothing of this move until informed by his colleague from the third ward before the meeting opened and that he did not know how large a percentage of the property-owners were in favor of it. On his motion the matter was laid over two weeks.

Would Create Model Pest-House

Ald. Brockhaus of the special committee consisting of himself and Ald. Dulin, directed to inspect the detention hospital, reported that they had found everything clean and tidy, the mattresses fumigated, blankets washed, etc. With his report he coupled a recommendation that a furnace and cement floor be installed in the basement, a hardwood floor in the kitchen, electric lights in the second story, and that a cement porch be built and a special vehicle be procured to carry patients to and from the hospital. Ald. Wait suggested that if the pest-house was to have electric lights and clean mattresses, etc., the whole council might find it convenient to move out there. Ald. Brockhaus said the oil lamps were dangerous things that lay around when patients were delirious and that the building was not adequately heated. It was a shame, also, to make patients walk out there in the middle of the road, as they were required to do last winter. He did not believe the improvements would cost more than \$300 or \$400. The council called on him to present a careful estimate of the cost at the next meeting.

New Members of Fire Police

On recommendation of the fire police, Mayor Hutchinson appointed George Buchholz and J. L. Fletcher as new members of that body. The appointments were confirmed. The committee on public buildings was authorized by an order to have the woodwork at the Jackson street entrance of the city hall refinished and the inside walls repainted. By another order the clerk was instructed to have the fire insurance on the stone-crusher renewed when it expires. Instructions were given the highway committee to employ some plumber to connect the new fountain on the Corn Exchange with the water pipes and connect the overflow with the sewer.

Twenty Street Signs Bought

Ald. Fish brought up the matter of street signs. Those with posts, like the one that has been on exhibition at the corner of Main and Milwaukee streets, could be purchased for \$4.50 apiece. Enamel signs which would have to be nailed on posts would cost 25 cents apiece. He thought the city should buy a few of the first-named variety. Ald. Connell asked if they were not too low. Ald. Wait said that Russell's bus, one back and one on, had hit the exhibition sign thus far. Mayor Hutchinson said the matter had been referred to Ald. Fish about a year ago and all that the city had gotten thus far was one sign. Ald. Fish said that it would require 300 signs to properly label the city. Ald. Brockhaus was in favor of the small, inexpensive signs; the others he deemed too extravagant. The latter were also in the way of teaming. Ald. Fish asked the city attorney if there was not some law regulating the putting up of signs. Ald. Fish said that it would cost \$2.50 each to place the small signs. Ald. Connell said that in his visits to large cities he had never seen anything like the sign exposed at the corner of Main and Milwaukee streets. Ald. Fish moved that 20 post signs be purchased and motion was carried. Ald. Wait, Brockhaus, Connell, and Buchholz voting "no," the others with the exception of Ald. Dulin who was not present at the time, voting "yes." The lighting committee was delegated to determine the location for the post-signs.

Water Main Extension

By a resolution introduced and adopted, previous orders affecting the matter were repealed and the Janesville Water Co. was requested to extend its main to the north side of St. Mary's avenue; also to extend its main on Walker street from North Hyland street to Hyland street, the hydrants to be located by the fire chief. This means laying of 1200 feet of pipe and the installation of 3 hydrants.

Now It's an Exposition

J. I. Berger of Chicago, who was to bring a street carnival here in June and pay a license fee of \$25 a day, appeared before the council and asked for permission to present in July a "merchants and manufacturer's exposition" to all infants and purposes, he said, "a state fair with horse races," with the warms of merchants placed in juxtaposition to a galaxy of wonderful shows (the same to be installed in an enclosed plot of ground in the outskirts of the city and to be under the direct supervision of the mayor, council, and police). The "expo" was of a much higher caliber than the ordinary street carnival; it would attract about 50,000 visitors to Janesville; and he would not ask the customary \$3,000 bonus for giving it here. The matter was referred to the license committee, which was in conference with Mr. Berger this morning.

Public Should Not Permit Slaughter

Killing of Songsters By Ruthless "Butchers" Should Be Stopped By Law.

Now that spring is here in earnest, the ruthless slaughter of our birds has begun. Not only the air-guns of the urbans, but rifles and shot-guns are adding in the dastardly way. One such "butcher" was seen parading along the "cut-off" leaving, in his wake the dead bodies of two woodpeckers, a snow bird and a gold finch. Such deeds ought to arouse the sentiment of an intelligent public to the highest pitch. Were the woodpeckers all dead, it is safe to assert that many of our trees would likewise die. The snow-bird feeds upon the seeds of our most precious weeds. The gold finch, our American canary—should be protected for his song alone. It is to his credit, however, that more is done by this bird toward the extermination of the American and Canadian thistles than by all the farmers combined. The government may establish scientific investigations; the fannies of India may demonstrate the disastrous results of bird extermination; the Audubon society may preach and the law forbid, but it seems the one essential for bird protection—public sentiment—is still lacking.

Want ads. bring good results.

Target Tournament Begins

Nashville, Tenn., May 15.—The Interstate Association's first southern handicap target tournament, opened at the grounds of the Cumberland Park Gun club today. Expert marksmen from many states are among the contestants in the various events, which will continue over three days.

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To Abolish McKune's Office
 Ald. Sheridan introduced an ordinance repealing the ordinance creating the office of assistant street commissioner (now held by Thomas McKune) which was passed May 27, 1931. He moved that the rules be suspended and that the measure be given its third reading and placed on passage. There was no debate and the measure passed, only Ald. Connell voting "no." Before the ordinance becomes effective, however, it will have to be signed by Mayor Hutchinson and as he recently appointed Mr. McKune to the office there is some doubt about his acquiescing in the council's move. It will require a two-thirds vote to pass it over his veto.

LINK AND PIN.

News for the Railroad Men.

Fair tonight and warmer in eastern portion, Wednesday showers and thunderstorms.

North-Western Road

Fireman E. Triebner on switch engine number 1040, days.

Engineers D. R. Dunwiddle and H. Gilbertson have caught the following runs with Engineer James Spohn: 587, second 583, 586 and 590.

Fireman J. E. Heagney is laying off.

Engineer A. Lee Wilcox went to Sheboygan today to work.

Fireman Hiller is dispatching engines nights.

Engineer Guy E. Cole is on the sick list.

Switchman Goodman relieved Lawrence Fraunfelder yesterday.

Engineer Shumway is relieving Engineer Robert Purcell on runs 621 and 544.

Operator Farley is taking Operator Masonick's place at Shopiere.

Engineer Joe Shekey returned to work on the Barrington turn-around this morning.

Roy Smith, day engine dispatcher's helper, is laying off and expects to spend tomorrow in Chicago.

Engineer Coen is relieving Engineer F. A. Barter on the south end way freight.

St. Paul Road.

V. Fisher, who has been winking at the roundhouse, left this morning for Minnesota.

Fireman Fred Whalen has returned from the west where he was relieving J. Cornelius.

DO NOT FORGET THAT

CONTEST SHORTENS

Good Roads Editor Is Ready To Receive Offerings For The Picture Contest.

The "Good Roads" editor of the Gazette is ready to receive the pictures and essays on the bad spots in the walks and roads of Janesville. While the contest does not close for another week many of the property owners have become interested and are planning to escape the penalty of seeing their bad and dangerous walks in print and are to repair the defects that exist. The first prize is two dollars and the next three a dollar each. The names need not be used in connection with the pictures or article unless desired.

PUBLIC SHOULD NOT PERMIT SLAUGHTER

Killing of Songsters By Ruthless "Butchers" Should Be Stopped By Law.

Now that spring is here in earnest, the ruthless slaughter of our birds has begun. Not only the air-guns of the urbans, but rifles and shot-guns are adding in the dastardly way. One such "butcher" was seen parading along the "cut-off" leaving, in his wake the dead bodies of two woodpeckers, a snow bird and a gold finch. Such deeds ought to arouse the sentiment of an intelligent public to the highest pitch. Were the woodpeckers all dead, it is safe to assert that many of our trees would likewise die. The snow-bird feeds upon the seeds of our most precious weeds. The gold finch, our American canary—should be protected for his song alone. It is to his credit, however, that more is done by this bird toward the extermination of the American and Canadian thistles than by all the farmers combined. The government may establish scientific investigations; the fannies of India may demonstrate the disastrous results of bird extermination; the Audubon society may preach and the law forbid, but it seems the one essential for bird protection—public sentiment—is still lacking.

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A GOOD JUVENILE QUARTETTE SINGS

Cox Family Proved Very Popular at West Side Theatre Last Evening.

Last evening's program at the West Side Theatre was shorter than usual but of very good quality. One act failed to show up to the standard at the matinee performance yesterday and were immediately canceled. To replace them, Brown and Wilcox, a dancing team, were engaged, but were unable to reach Janesville from Chicago before this morning. They appeared this afternoon for the first time. Of the varied talent the greatest success was attained by the Cox family, consisting of three girls and a boy. Their singing as a quartette is excellent, while their work in solos and duets is very good. Millie Alline is a feminine juggler and hoop-roller of no mean ability and her stunts were liberally applauded. William, the German comedian, the new films on the projectoscope and two more illustrated songs by George Hatch compose the remainder of the bill.

JANESVILLE CAMP PLANS FOR PICNIC

Local Woodmen Will Engage Imperial Band and Go to Freeport on Special Train.

At the regular meeting of Florence Camp No. 306, Modern Woodmen of America, last evening plans for the picnic at Freeport, on June 7, were made. It was decided to engage the Imperial band of twenty-four pieces for the day and to run an excursion. This will be a special train over the St. Paul road, leaving at eight in the morning. Four members of the Freeport camp were present at last evening's session and after telling of the plans for the picnic, left a large hot air balloon to be sent up here Saturday night. To this balloon is attached an envelope containing an order for some valuable article out of one of Freeport's stores and this will be the property of the one finding it after it has alighted.

EIGHTY-TWO ARRESTS IN MONTH OF APRIL

73 Were for Drunkenness—Lodging Was Given to 54 Men Without Work.

City Marshal Appleby's report to the city council last evening showed that there were 82 arrests during the month of April. Three were made for assault and battery, 5 for violation of the city ordinances, 1 for larceny, and 73 for drunkenness. Of the prisoners, 27 were taken into court and 55 discharged. Lodging was given to 54 men without work. No fees or percentages were collected. The arrests were made by officers as follows: Appleby, 13; Beat, 10; Brown, 10; Becker, 15; Champion, 9; Morrison, 9; Panning, 9; Palmer, 1.

ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

(Special Telegram.)
 Elgin, Ill., May 14.—Output, 14,000. Butter firm at 20c.

Who is the sweetest thing that painters paint, or poets sing, lovelier than anything? Girls who take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, 3c cents, tea or tablets. Smith Drug Co.

Interscholastic, Academic, Literary and Athletic Contests, Appleton.

The North-Western line will sell excursion tickets at reduced rates May 10 to 19, inclusive, limited to return until May 21, inclusive. Apply to agents.

GOES TO DAYTON FOR BAPTIST CONVENTION

Local Divine Is To Speak On The American Missionary Program Next Monday.

Rev. R. W. Vaughan is to attend the National Baptist convention at Dayton, Ohio and will be absent about a week. On Monday next Mr. Vaughan is on the program of the American Baptist Missionary Union.

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Our wanton accidents take root and grow, to vaunt themselves as laws—as when we happen to accomplish something without advertising, we vainly imagine that we may repeat the accident.

Now is the time for political upheavals.

National sidewalkers are to be found in the Russian Duma in profusion.

Standard Oil is securing all sorts of free advertising these days, such as it really is.

Zion City threatens to be as interesting a warfare as the fueds of Kentucky used to be.

The state golfers who meet here in June promise to make things lively for the time being.

It appears as though Mr. Rockefeller had not missed a bet in the whole course of his business life.

It is not probable that Janesville will celebrate the Fourth of July this year but reserve its energies for next year.

Bailey of Texas appears to have swallowed the core and all of the green apple and is suffering from a severe case.

Mrs. Bernhardt gave a performance in beer hall out on the Pacific coast recently. It was better than a tent anyway.

Tillman made a mistake when he attacked Roosevelt, as he may find out before he is through with the game.

Candidates for county office are springing up like weeds in a corn patch, now the warm weather has commenced.

La Follette has told the senate what he will do and now the senate tells him what they will do and the chances are that they will, too.

It is usually customary to retain the county officers for a second term unless they have done something to merit rejection by their party.

William Jennings Bryan is certain he does not care to run for President, this next campaign unless something unforeseen occurs to alter his mind.

The prospects are that when state politics begin boiling properly Lenroot will be dropped and Davidson substituted. Think of that, Lenroot.

The Russian Duma is in session but thus far they have not done more than glance with awe at the troops that surround their meeting places.

Socialist members of the Italian Parliament have stated that they will resign now that they find the government does not care.

The Milwaukee Journal has started a crusade for good railroad connection with Milwaukee and has mentioned the time it takes to get from Janesville to the Cream City by rail.

If Harriman was a true business man he would not give an employee five hundred dollars to stop smoking but would show him how much he could save if he did quit like Russell Sage would.

A VICTORY FOR DECENCY.

While the other powers of Europe, particularly Austria, Germany, and Russia, were willing to condone the murders of the king and queen of Serbia on June 11, 1903, by sending diplomatic representatives to the new Serbian court, Great Britain has hitherto refused to recognize the government in any way.

Servia has at last seen that to secure disinterested recognition she must accept the British terms. All the senior officers concerned in the assassination have been dismissed from the Serbian service. It was a case of moral pressure only. It is a triumph for decency, for which the British government deserves congratulation.

ACQUISITION AND DISTRIBUTION

Secretary Taft, in an interview in the New York Herald, puts the subject of the relation of the government to the question of wealth in clear light. He declares that achievement is the keynote of American progress, and that most Americans go into the business of money making, not so much for the purpose of piling up money, as for the purpose of achieving something great, and while the

accumulation of great individual wealth may lead to a national evil, it is not necessary to have socialistic legislation to rectify that evil. The acquisition of wealth will not require, he says, any special legislation this country. A man should have the right to make a great fortune, but as he can enjoy it only during his life, the state can step in and regulate the distribution of his fortune after his death. He therefore does not regard the accumulation of great wealth as a menace, because no matter how vast the fortunes may be, they can be regulated by inheritance taxes under the constitution without any revolutionary or socialistic enactments.

This doctrine is somewhat different from that which was proclaimed by President Roosevelt in his muck-rake speech. In that speech the President suggested the possibility of the need of legislation to limit or reduce fortunes during the life-time of those who created them. Secretary Taft is nearer right than President Roosevelt.

Let us have the largest individual liberty of achievement in this country, whether ambition takes the form of political or professional advancement or desire for financial power. Then let the state step in and determine how much of a man's fortune he can bequeath to his heirs and how much shall revert to the state which aided him in its acquisition, and under what conditions inheritance shall be possible. In other words, let there be no legislation to prevent the honest acquisition of wealth. Let legislation concern itself only with the question of the distribution of wealth.

GUBERNATORIAL ELECTIONS.

There are twenty-eight states besides Wisconsin that will elect governors this year.

Oregon's gubernatorial election will occur on the 4th of next month. Arkansas will follow on September 1, Maine on September 10, Georgia on October 3 and Kentucky on November 5.

The twenty-three states which with Wisconsin will vote for a governor on November 6 are: Alabama, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New York, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Vermont and Wyoming.

Eleven of the governors whose terms expire this year are democrats and eighteen republicans. The best known of the lot outside of their respective states are Higgins of New York, Pennypacker of Pennsylvania, Cummins of Iowa, Hoch of Kansas, Guild of Massachusetts and Beckham of Kentucky. Not one of these is a great national figure. Beckham is the youngest. He is known through the exciting circumstances under which he attained his office. Guild and Cummins are known because of their advocacy of tariff revision. Pennypacker became prominent by signing an anti-carriage bill, which made him a favorite subject for the clever cartoonists of the Philadelphia newspapers. Hoch fought the Standard Oil Company, but is at the present moment chiefly famous as "Hoch der kisser," in which character, however, he is not severely condemned, because the great majority of his countrymen believe him to be the victim of a campaign slander. Higgins is known in the first place because he is the governor of the great state of New York, in the second place because he has advocated and signed a series of important laws aiming at life insurance reform, and in the third place because he has broken with his predecessor O'Neil, who assumed to be the republican boss of the state, and has used his influence in behalf of political policies known to be in favor with the administration at Washington.

PRESS COMMENT.

Not Afraid of "Graveyard."

Vo. 1, No. 1, of the Oshkosh Weekly Democrat, published by Pixley & Leason, has reached the Gazette desk. It gives promise of a useful and successful life.

Thinks He Is the "Need."

Milwaukee Journal: When McGillivray responds to the toast, "The Political Needs of Wisconsin at the Present Time," he will probably just stand up.

A Rumor That Is Not Rife.

La Crosse Chronicle: There are no rumors to the effect that Gov. Davidson contemplates pulling out of the gubernatorial race.

They're Worried.

Milwaukee News: The silence of Mr. Connor seems to be oppressive to the gentlemen that have been playing the game with their cards face up.

Gratitude Overdone.

Exchange: It is suspected that Standard Oil would appreciate Chancellor Day's gratitude more if he would drop the matter. Enough's enough.

Must Revise Estimate.

El Paso Herald: Some pretty civilized motives must be credited to the Filipinos in Manila when they outbid the Americans buying boxes at a San Francisco relief concert.

Requires Extreme Care.

Shoeborn Journal: Booker T. Washington says the chief problem is to teach the negro to "stand on his own feet." Those who know the size of the Southern darkey's pedal extremities know the job looks easier than it really is.

that solemn young man will get himself suspected of a vein of dry humor.

Hi, Stop It!
Oshkosh Northwestern: As a result of that kissing story about Governor Hoch some of the people of Kansas are in favor of dropping the sunflower and adopting tulips as the official state flower.Mirthful—Very.
Madison Democrat: A student, neatly decorated with iodine, his hair fantastically clipped in patches, made to dance and sing before his fellows and co-eds, must furnish a high-grade entertainment. It must be really funny.Unbelievable.
Exchange: We can hardly believe that Senator Dolliver is trying to "humiliate La Follette." Out in Iowa there is a La Follette who seems to be carrying everything before him. Self-preservation usually makes the Dollivers tread lightly.A Toast to His Choice.
Milwaukee Journal: "Uncle Isaac's" home paper, The Eagle-Star (married), says: "Marionette ladies responded grandly to the call to help the babies, bless 'em." Here's to Mary Nettie! May Isaac's choice for governor be twins!Painless Poison.
Milwaukee Sentinel: A Chicago girl employed in the Swift plant at the stockyards has written a play called "Painless Poison," but it is disappointing to learn that it is not a refutation of the charges made against the packers by Upton Sinclair in "The Jungle."How Bob Pities 'Em.
Oshkosh Northwestern: The Milwaukee Free Press seems to think it is a mark of great credit for Senator La Follette because after each defeat he "comes up smiling." Possibly, however, this is merely because the senator pities the ignorance of the other senators who have not found out what the people want.Washington a Woman?
Chicago Record-Herald: In a "Life of George Washington" just published in England, the assertion is made that the father of his country was really a woman in disguise. If the English think it is going to add anything to their credit to set up the claim that the packers by Upton Sinclair in "The Jungle" should be granted that comfort.Too Handy An Expression.
Exchange: Those people who a few weeks ago were hurrying for the President because they had in some way gained the impression that he was going to scare all the muck-rakers out of the country are now gloomily denouncing him for ever having uttered the word muck-rake. It has come in so handy, and they have been so vulnerable.

Friendship Still Exists.

Oshkosh Democrat: An exchange says that friendship is becoming a thing of the past, that is, the Damon and Pythias kind. "Fast friends," this paper says, "are no more." Of course we are busier than we used to be, and competition is making us hustle these days, but just the same men have friends still. Can you not call to mind some man or men who would divide with you, like you as well one day as the next? Of course you can. Humanity is still a common failing.

Crime As a Disease.

Chicago Chronicle: "M. D., an esteemed correspondent of The Chronicle, deprecates the fad of certain criminologists for treating 'all varieties and manifestations of criminality as merely symptoms of some bodily disorder.' This theory, he says, 'cuts up by the roots the whole basis and framework of human religion, government and social order.' It is, indeed, hostile to religion, but it is not necessarily fatal to government and society. We may say to these criminologists: Call crime and immorality diseases if you like. We propose to 'stamp out' those diseases by exterminating the hopeless victims and putting the others in hospitals commonly known as prisons, where they can not prey upon or destroy the well.

Surrender of Paper Trust.

Fond du Lac Commonwealth: The officials of the General Paper company, otherwise known as the paper trust, who gave vent to so much indignation, when the government commenced its action against that corporation, have surrendered. The government has won its case, and the directors, who refused to answer certain questions, during the course of the court proceedings, have paid the nominal sum of \$100 each for contempt. This is letting them down pretty easy, but then there is the humiliation of having lost out, and that counts for something. In the meantime, some of the members of the trust are unable to restrain their wrath, and threaten the newspapers, the very papers that had already been held up by the trust, with a new hold-up, which will make them really and truly sorry that they ever called attention to the paper trust at all. Thus are the newspapers to be punished, that is, if some of the mill owners have their way. Still there is just a chance that any new combination, for the purpose of advancing prices, may encounter difficulties quite as serious as those which the old combination ran against.

Colored Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. in the United States has 106 branches for colored members 74 of which are in educational institutions and 32 in cities. Their aggregate membership exceeds 8,000.

Read the Gazette want ads.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Men at Janesville Red Brick Co. at \$1.75 per day. Inquire at Janesville Red Brick Co., West Pleasant St.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper or work by the day; chamber work or washing dishes preferred. Address B. C. Gazette.

FREAK OF FRISCO FIRE

How Coppa's Restaurant Was Saved From Destruction.

NOT EVEN A NAPKIN WAS LOST

The Proprietor Found Sitting on His Doorstep Days After the Fire—Famous Resort of Artists and Writers. Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson's House Preserved by a Bohemian Club. Part of Sutor Library May Be Safe.

It appears from letters recently received in New York from San Francisco that two of the irreplaceable things in San Francisco were saved from destruction in the fire and earthquake, the Stevenson house and the more valuable part of the Sutor library, says the New York Sun. The "classified" section of the Sutor library was in the Montgomery block, over Coppa's famous restaurant, until a few months ago, and there is no reason to believe that it had been removed since. Still there is no direct news that it was saved, the letters being too busy in rejoicing that Coppa's, left in a little island of the fire, pulled through.

This place (Coppa's) was a strange kind of a restaurant. It served a fifty cent table d'hôte dinner, with native claret thrown in, but its great merit lay in the company. Two or three years ago the art students, writers and young painters who have their homes and studios on the fringe of the Latin quarter found it out, fell in love with Coppa himself and began to make it a rendezvous. One hesitates to call these people bohemians, since the word has been stretched to cover so many unpleasant things, but they came about as near fitting the title in its original and unspelled sense as any group of people in the United States. They were well established and had a table sacred to their uses when, about two years ago, Coppa announced that he had been doing well and was going to renovate. "Glittering gold and mirrors?" said the painters and art students. "Not much. You replaster the walls and we'll do your decorating for you."

Coppa agreed, because it cost less. They had him stain the wall a soft wine red, after which they planned a harmonious scheme of collaborative decoration. Here Robert Altken made a set of bas-reliefs; next to it was a "group" fancy by Burgess and next after that an Indian sketch by Dixon. Above the panels they ran a frieze, like the frieze in a great library, of names entitled to the hall of fame. Here they interspersed the names of the world's greatest with the names of the "gang." Next to "Velasquez" was "Martinez," next to "Shakespeare" was "Sterling," and so on. Perhaps the most clever fancy was the woman's eye, view of a French restaurant in full blast, which decorated the ceiling.

Then there began to happen what happens to all such restaurants—the tourist heard of its fame, and the rubbernecks began to come to see the animals out. The true originators of the plan, seated at their central table, felt that they would have to move, but some one said, "If we stay here and keep quiet the rubbernecks will get tired and leave us alone." So it happened. Coppa's was a theme for months; then it got to be an old story, the outsiders ceased from troubling, and Coppa's went on as ever.

On the fifth day after the earthquake, when the fires had cooled a little and people were crawling back into the town, three or four of the people of the central table met and went to see the ruins of their old stamping ground. That part of San Francisco had been swept by the fire; it was supposed that there was not one brick standing on another, but through the haze which hung over Montgomery street they came upon an island of about a block, which a freak of the fire had missed, and behold, the Montgomery block, blackened, but untouched! On the steps of his restaurant sat Coppa, as though he had never left.

Coppa broke into his cellar and found a case of claret which the soldiers had overlooked in their smashing expedition. The people of the center table went out and rustled bread line provisions, and the proprietor sat down with them to a dinner in celebration of the escape of the place. The next day Coppa managed to find a way to buy supplies, and the restaurant resumed business. It is the only restaurant standing within a mile, and it did not lose even a napkin. In the island spared by the fire stood unharmed the studio of Xavier Martinez, from which he had escaped on the morning of the earthquake when it seemed as though the building was about to fall on him. On the second floor of the Montgomery block was stored part of the Sutor library, or, as has been said, it was until a few months ago. There were perhaps 75,000 volumes stored in this Montgomery street division, among them the most valuable single books. The other division, which must have gone with the Payot-Upsham building early in the fire, was the larger and, owing to its sources of purchase, was an undiscovered country.

Members of the Bohemian club saved Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson's house. That was not threatened until the fourth day, when the returning trade wind blew the fire back from Van Ness avenue to sweep Russian hill. Members of the club managed to pass the word to gather and make a stand to save this house. Near at hand was a reservoir which had been drained for the purposes of the fire engines, but had still a little water in the bottom. They formed a bucket brigade and fought heroically all day. The fire went past the house at last.

Healthy Town.

In the town of Tollebury, England, a place of 2,000 inhabitants, there is only one physician and there is no druggist or dentist within five miles.

Frank Frantz.
Governor of Oklahoma.

HORSE SHOW

...AND...

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SHIRT WAISTS,
silk, all over lace, net
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47½c and 67½c.Today we place on the
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save one-third.GAUZE VESTS,
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GARMENTS of WHITE

WE are ready for a demand that might tax the resources of three ordinary stores. One thing we INSIST ON IS GOOD WORKMANSHIP.—Another thing: QUALITY. Giving one the very best garment possible for the PRICE ASKED is what makes women think of THE BIG STORE when ready to buy.

White Wash or wool Skirts, Jackets, Coats, are here in profusion—Enough to go around and a wide range of prices. SEVERAL large shipments just opened up.

WASH SKIRTS in shrunk cotton or linen \$1.00 to \$4.00.

SHORT JACKETS of linen, all sizes \$3.00.

LINEN Coats extra quality \$8.00.

Mohair skirts white or cream, never had better or prettier for \$6.00.

Skirts in white, of fine serges and Panamas at \$10.00.

Coats in white or white with black stripes and checks, exceptional values, nobby styles at \$10 to \$14.00.

White Linen Suits embroidery trimmed, Eton style at \$12.00. SUITS of wool, in neat black and white checks, box style coats, semi-circular skirts at \$25.00.

The illustration represents a neat Wash Skirt in black and white checks, which we consider very good for \$4.50.

Several other styles in colored Cotton Wash Skirts.

A SUMMER GIRL

attired in some of these dreams of daintiness might be compared to Apple Blossoms.

Free Tickets to the Horse Show and Races, May 17 and 18.

Given to all Women and Misses who call.

ALWAYS TURNED BACK

He said he had approached the stairway to Dr. Richards' dental office a number of times, but his courage always failed him, and he turned back and went home with his aching teeth still in his mouth.

In spite of the heaped-up testimony of his friends that DR. RICHARDS WOULDN'T HURT HIM, he couldn't muster the grit to tackle the job.

Maybe that is the way with you.

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They say IT'S WORRY that makes our hair gray.

Dr. Richards makes it his specialty to do your dental work without TURNING your hair gray from PAIN or SUFFERING.

Try him for your next dentistry.

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Spring Jewelry

Now that spring is here in all its glory, why not look at our display of pretty things? Perhaps you will see something here which you have been wanting for some time.

KOEBELIN'S

Jewelry and Music House,
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Chocolate Caramels

EXTRA FINE

30c lb.

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1 E. Milwaukee St. On bridge.

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Customers

placed on our list during the month of April.

You see, many are realizing the importance of

Pasteurized Milk.

JANESVILLE PURE MILK CO.

Gridley & Craft, Props.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Mystic Workers of the World at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.

Janesville City Lodge No. 90, I. O. O. F., at West Side Odd Fellows' hall.

Omega Council No. 214, Royal League, at G. A. R. hall.

Ancient Order of Hibernians meets at hall.

International Association of Railway Clerks meets in Janesville.

Harness Makers' union meets in Trades' Council hall.

Retail Clerks' union meets at hall.

POSTAL REPORT

BEEN COMPILED

RECORD OF TIME PUT IN EACH DAY BY CARRIERS.

MADE BY THE POSTMASTER

Average Day's Work is Seven Hours and Forty-five Minutes and a Half.

Postmaster Charles Valentine has recently made a report to the post-office department in Washington which though of no particular import to Janesville people is still very interesting. It is a record of the time the carriers in the city work on an average each day. This is seven hours and forty-five and five-tenths minutes. This figure was deduced from the time record for ten days—from the 19th to the 28th of March—and is considered a fair representation of the work done the year around, excepting in the holiday season when extra men are employed.

The System of Time-keeping. Each carrier, when he arrives in the morning, registers his commencement work by "ringing in" at the Bundy clock. This is the opening of his day's work, and by the rule he must have finished after serving eight hours. In this period must be included the time spent in arranging his mail at the office and in delivering. If he is unable to complete his "beat" before the limit is reached the undelivered mail must be returned to the office. Every carrier who works overtime is subject to a fine.

Exceptions to and Reasons For. There is a deviation from this rule only when the mail trains are late or something out of the ordinary interferes. Some times the carriers are compelled to run part of the way to the office in order to get their work done in the allotted time. The reason the government makes the regulation is two fold. First, if it takes a carrier more than eight hours to make his trips, it signifies that he has too large a route to cover, and another distribution of patrons is necessary. Secondly, the department wishes to guard against any charges for overtime, and it was then that the new regulation was placed in effect.

The Janesville Report. Every year the officials at Washington demand a complete report of the carriers' operations. There are nine carriers in the city, seven making two trips a day, one three trips and another four. The averages of these for the ten days mentioned are as follows: 7 hours, 55 minutes; 7:38 4:10; 7:40 4:10; 7:33 4:10; 7:51 6:10; 7:45 2:10; 7:47 6:10; 7:37 4:10; 7:58. On some occasions, during the ten days from which the report was made, mail was brought back undelivered. There were never more than a few letters, cards or papers and but one carrier put in any overtime. This was but one minute and it is not at all likely that any notice of this slight violation of rules will be taken.

DIPLOMA EXAMS

ARE IN DOUBT

Large Number of Pupils Wrote on Examinations—Results Will Be Announced in Few Days.

The following committee: Miss Lizzie Gillies, Miss Lulu B. Howard, Evansville; Miss Emma Whitmore, Miss Louise Raymond, Edgerton; Miss Winnifred Kuehn, Miss Teresa Baker, Miss Etta Hollis, Janesville; Claude Stout, Edgerton; and B. M. Miller, Orfordville, met at Supt. C. H. Hemingway's office yesterday to mark diploma papers written Thursday and Friday of last week. Owing to the fact that there were an extra large number of papers submitted the committee was unable to finish the work yesterday; consequently the results of the examination will not be announced until probably Saturday of this week, at which time the list will be made public.

LATE LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

Label League dance, May 17th. A great variety of pictures, lasting fifty minutes, aside from the Passion Play in 27 scenes, at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

There will be meeting of Circle No. 5, but will meet May 25. 45c worth of Albany towels for 25c at Archie Reid's.

Buy it in Janesville. The Label League will give a May party Thursday, May 17th, at Assembly hall. Knelt & Hatch orchestra.

McIntosh's underwear, double seat 25c. Archie Reid & Co. Ladies' gauze vests, high neck, long sleeves, 12c. Archie Reid & Co.

An evening of unrivaled pleasure at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. Don't miss it. Nearly two hours of solid moving pictures.

Don't forget the moving pictures at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. Tickets, 25c and 15c.

Read the want ads.

TOO MUCH MORE TALK IN "THE HOMESEEKERS"

A Western Comedy-Drama Presented By Large Company At The Myers Last Night.

There are too many stump speeches, too much long-drawn-out and tiresome dialogue in "The Homeseekers," a western comedy-drama by E. E. Samuel and Stanley Wood, presented at the Myers theatre last evening, and talk instead of action is too much relied upon to produce the intended thrill. The play is given by a large company and good character delineations are provided by J. J. Lane as "Moses Blinks," the colored man, and George Dee as "Jim Travis," the talkative man of nerve with the loud walcoats. A quartette of pleasing voices provides welcome diversions from the plot at frequent intervals.

If you lost anything, advertise it.

HOLD-OVER FATHERS

CAN RECEIVE NO PAY

Attorney General Sturdevant Renders an Opinion on Question Raised by Ald. Fish.

In response to a request from City Attorney Maxfield, Attorney General Sturdevant has rendered an opinion relative to the legality of hold-over aldermen receiving the \$5-a-meeting salary provided by a measure passed prior to the last election. He holds that only the aldermen elected or re-elected after the measure was passed are entitled to the compensation. The statute, as he interprets it, provides that the council shall, at its first regular meeting in February, fix the amount of salary which shall be received by every officer entitled to a salary who may be elected or appointed during the ensuing year, which salary shall not be increased or diminished during his term of office, and which shall be paid out of the city treasury at the end of each month. The provisions, he maintains, are intended to preclude the possibility of having salaries fixed by officers who are to receive them, though in its actual operation it does not prevent that entirely, since probably a majority of the common council are usually re-elected for two or more terms. It is entirely legal, he asserts, for the aldermen who were re-elected as well as the new aldermen to receive the money, but the hold-overs are not entitled to it.

AN OLD RESIDENT

HAS PASSED AWAY

Michael Mathias Died This Morning in the Town of Rock—Lived There Fifty Years.

Michael Mathias, a resident of Rock county for about half a century and a man of eighty-one years of age, passed away at four-twenty o'clock this morning. There are left to mourn his demise a widow, three sons and four daughters—Fred, Frank and Bert Mathias of this city; Mrs. Welsh of Elgin; Ill.; Mrs. Bliss of Beloit; Mrs. Wells of Virginia, and Mrs. Weather of Rockford. Notice of the funeral will be given later.

MRS. LOUISE DUDLEY DIED

AT GLENWOOD LAST NIGHT

Interment Will Take Place at Her Old Home in Evansville on Thursday.

Mrs. Louise Edmunds Dudley, wife of the general manager of the industrial training school at Glenwood, Ill., died in this city last evening. Most of her life was spent in Evansville, Wis., where she has many friends, and where the interment will take place on Thursday. The funeral services are to be held in Glenwood tomorrow. Mrs. Dudley would have been fifty-eight years of age on Wednesday. Besides her husband, she leaves to mourn her loss one sister, Miss Elvira Edmunds, who has been living with the Dudley family in Glenwood.

BRIEF ITEMS.

Never Located Here: Rev. N. A. Keegan, a Catholic Priest of La Crosse, was thrown from a buggy Saturday night while going to call on a dying parishioner and received injuries which later proved fatal. Dispatches regarding the tragedy stated that he was formerly located in Janesville. The latter statement has proven to be unfounded.

Lost Game at Afton: The Fourth Ward Lions lost their game with the Afton Tigers at Afton Sunday by a score of eleven to one. The trip was made by carnival and there were a number of spectators from here.

K. of P. Pilgrimage: Members of Oriental Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias, will leave tonight on the 7:15 interurban car for Beloit where they will confer the rank of Esquire on candidates whom the Beloit lodge has in waiting.

Mystic Workers' Session: After the regular meeting of Janesville Lodge No. 196 of the Mystic Workers of the World at East Side Odd Fellows' hall this evening, ice cream and cake will be served and a social session enjoyed.

Will Elect Officers: The Badger Gun club will hold a special meeting at Pierson's automobile garage tomorrow evening. New officers will be elected and other business of importance is to be transacted.

Theatrical Sidights: "The Homeseekers" company which played at the Myers last evening came here yesterday over the North-Western from Waukegan and went to Woodstock today. "The A Trip to Egypt" troupe came on the same road today from Racine and will go to Appleton tomorrow. Wilton Lackey, who appeared in "The Pil" this past season, will play the role of Jean Valjean in "The Law and the Man," his own dramatization of "Les Miserables," next season.

Attention B. P. O. E.: The regular meeting of Janesville Lodge No. 54, B. P. O. E., will be held tonight. There will be important business and work, and all members are earnestly requested to be present. D. J. Lindsay, Exalted Ruler.

Lecture in Beloit: Rev. R. C. Denison delivered his illustrated lecture "A Trip Through Italy," before the Six O'clock Club in Beloit last evening.

Tax Sale Today: At the office of County Treasurer Oliver Smith a tax sale has been in progress today. Certificates on about 175 parcels of land were sold. Prominent among the bidders were Atty. William Bates of Beloit and W. H. H. Macdon of this city.

State Veterinarian E. D. Roberts leaves tomorrow for Kenosha, where he will test the cattle on the farm owned by Isaac Stephenson of Marinette.

THE WEATHER

Temperature last 24 hours taken from registered thermometer at Helms' street's drugstore: highest, 80; lowest, 58; at 7 a. m., 64; at 3 p. m., 79; wind, southwest; pleasant.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Miss Allie McKee visited her parents in Edgerton Sunday.

Cornelius Heagney was in Watertown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Berges of Hanover spent Sunday in Janesville.

Miss Ida Doty spent Sunday with Edgerton relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Austin have gone to Portland, Ore.

Harry Shurtliff is in Magnolia on business today.

E. E. Matheson went to Madison this morning.

Mrs. Philip Knippenberg has gone to Milwaukee to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, Karl Naumb.

Before returning home Mrs. Knippenberg will spend two weeks in Racine.

There will be a special meeting of the Team Owners' Assn. of Janesville tomorrow night. All members are requested to be present. There will be important business to transact.

John Berkner went to the Palmer Hospital Sunday morning and was operated upon by Dr. E. F. Woods for blood poisoning in the foot. He is getting along nicely and it is expected that he will be from under the doctor's care soon.

H. A. Stone, James B. Stephenson, Mrs. Carey and I. Shoups were among the Rockford visitors in Janesville today.

S. Stropp, G. Phillips, and Miss Queenie Wilmet of Moline, Ill., were visitors in the city today.

H. Miller and Fay Smith of Brodhead were in the city last evening.

Mrs. M. Chase, Mrs. N. H. Snow, and N. M. Snow of Mineral Point were Janesville visitors last night.

W. S. Schneider of Johnsons Creek was in the city last night.

F. R. Black of Lake Mills is transacting business here today.

S. S. Jones of Clinton is in the city. The Misses Ida Green and Lucy Fox have returned from a visit in Beloit.

The Misses Euretta Kimball and Elizabeth McKee have returned to Madison after a short visit at their homes in this city.

Miss Edith Sailer returned home Saturday evening from California, where she has been spending the winter with relatives and friends in Oroville, Orange, Elsmore, Fullerton and Long Beach. The principal cities she visited were San Francisco, Los Angeles, Sacramento, Salt Lake City, Manitou, and Albuquerque, New Mexico.

J. William Bates of Beloit is in the city today.

Mrs. Ellis of Clinton was a Janesville visitor today.

Calvert Spensley of Mineral Point was in the city yesterday.

NEW SWEEPER WAS

GIVEN GOOD TRIAL

Last Evening and Seemed to Work in a Satisfactory Manner.

Last night the new street-sweeper, sent here on trial by the Studebaker Co., was given a test on the streets and appeared to give satisfaction in every particular. The revolving broom which "does the business" is controlled by a lever at the driver's seat and can be raised and lowered at will to suit the roadbed or uneven thoroughfares. The new machine will cost \$275 and a team of two horses will be required to draw it. The street sprinklers will have to be shut off at three o'clock in the afternoon if the most effective work is to be done.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. James Dawson.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. James Dawson of this city were this morning at ten o'clock in St. Patrick's church at Albion, Rev. Fr. Smith officiating. The singers were Mrs. Piper and Miss Joyce and the organist was Miss Caldwell. The floral tributes were many and beautiful and the following acted as pallbearers: Michael Dunphy, Thomas Dunphy, James Doherty, John Collins, Thomas Croak and James Croak. Burial was at Calvary cemetery.

Frank Broughton, Jr., of Evansville, well-known throughout the southern part of the state as a baseball player, died yesterday. He was a nephew of Cal Broughton.

Candidate for Sheriff.

To the Voters of Rock County: I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for sheriff at the coming primaries. If nominated I shall do my utmost to be elected and if successful shall administer the office to the best of my ability.

E. H. RANSOM.

Town of Bradford.

March 15, 1906.

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Malta Vita, 8c pkg.

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MORE ABOUT BLOODED DOGS OF JANESVILLE

Reference Is Made to Pets Not Mentioned in Yesterday's Article on Subject.

While no attempt was made to list all of the valuable dogs owned in Janesville in the article appearing in yesterday's issue of the Gazette, reference was made to all concerning which information could be obtained in the cursory search for material for the story. Said Manager David Young of the Grand hotel this afternoon: "I notice that the Gazette alluded to some of the blooded dogs owned in the city and a good many mongrels yesterday and left out Skipper." The last-named is Mr. Young's little fox-terrier, one of the most intelligent and best-trained pets in Janesville.

No reference was made to W. T. Shaver's fox-terriers, T. J. McKeligue's Boston bulls, Harry McNamara's bulldog, Mrs. Archie Reid's valuable collie and the one owned by J. F. Sweeney, Edward Welch's cocker-spaniel "Dinah," an affectionate little animal which was hurt with a puppy and cannot walk more than six or eight feet without whining around in a circle in the manner of the wailing mice, is the mother of most of the dogs of that breed in this city. There are doubtless many other valuable canines owned in Janesville which might and ought to be mentioned.

Dahlia Bulbs

Beautiful and Large Variety. 20c doz.

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The best on earth for garden purposes. For Sale Here.

New Phone, Blue 827.

105 Cornelia St. : Second Ward.

Alabastine

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30 Packages odd colors to close Wednesday at

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50c for 10c

Cheap enough to use on Hen Coops

Good enough for the house

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THE LOWELL

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Take one on your vacation.

THE CHARMS OF KODAKERY ARE NOW DOUBLED.

With the up-to-date folding pocket kodaks, which load and unload in daylight, and the daylight developing machines, no one ought to be without a kodak so as to enjoy the pleasures of taking pictures. Ask for catalogue.

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There is a lot of difference in Coffees. Some are rich, or strong, or oily, or heavy, and others are cheap, inferior and badly roasted or blended.

It all depends on what you want and where you buy it.

For complete coffee satisfaction there is nothing better than our "Golden Blend" because it is a combination of the most delicious berries obtainable roasted with particular care.

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WALL PAPER

Our sale a great success. Follow the crowd. More new and up-to-date papers than all the stores in Janesville combined. And lots of bargains in papers to close out. For Wall Paper, Window Shades, Burlap, Plate and Room Mouldings. Come to Headquarters.

J. SUTHERLAND & SONS.

12 South Main St.

What to Feed Little Chicks

is a question easily decided at the North Main Street Feed Store. Our stock of chick foods and poultry supplies is selected with the utmost care.

Only the best grains and seeds are used in our mixed feeds.

Joe Bailey of Texas

Eloquent Senator Who Is Regarded by Many as the Ablest Man in Congress

Personality of a Brainy Giant Famous as a Constitutional Lawyer. Gifted and Forceful Orator Who Carries His Audience by Storm—How He Got His Start in Life.

LINCOLN STEFFENS in one of his periodic bunts for civic virtue went to Washington. Why he should have expected to find this pearl without price in Washington no one knows. Possibly he did not, but was looking for its opposite. At any rate he journeyed thither and while on the ground concluded that he would find out who is the ablest man in congress. He may have taken up this subject because of his failure to locate civic righteousness. He was certain to find people with opinions as to the ability of the various solons, and it is not so sure that he would have succeeded in locating anybody with ideas on the other question. If he had mentioned civic virtue to them maybe the Washingtonians would not have known what he was talking about.

It is not related that Steffens concluded it as hopeless a task to discover intellectual astuteness in congress as to take out his particular kind of righteousness in the rest of the capital city. Possibly this was due to his lack of familiarity with congress. However that may be, he made the effort.

"Ablest Man in Congress."

Being acquainted with certain members of the press gallery and knowing them to be men who have eyes to see and who use them for that purpose, Mr. Steffens asked the first member of the press gallery he met as to whom he considered the ablest man in congress.

"Bailey of Texas," answered the scribbler.

When Steffens expressed surprise and incredulity the newspaper man

young man to get in and ride. Falling into conversation, Bailey found that the farmer was also going to the convention.

"Ever hear of a young lawyer named Bailey round here?" asked the building statesman.

"Nope," said the farmer. "Good speaker and bright fellow, I understand," suggested Bailey. "S'pose so," said the farmer.

"Yes," continued Bailey, "and he will be over there today, and I tell you what we'll do. We'll call on him to make a speech. You see all your friends, tell them about Bailey, and we'll call on him."

The farmer said all right. No more was said about the matter. When there was a lapse in the business of the convention the old farmer got up and suggested that they hear from Mr. Bailey, "a rising young lawyer of these diggins," he said, "an' a feller who talks like puttin' out fire." Bailey, Bailey, Bailey, more than a dozen fellows went up, and Bailey came forth and made one of the hottest speeches of his life.

His Self Abnegation.

The result of that coup was more successful than Bailey had figured on, for the convention was deadlocked, and some one proposed to cut the Gordian knot by nominating "the rising young lawyer of these diggins" himself. Bailey was there, pledged to another candidate and felt in honor bound to stand by his man. He therefore opposed the suggestion of his own nomination, but it was of no avail, for the convention

to give. Bailey thereupon seized the Indiana man by the throat and choked him rather severely. Other senators rushed between the two and led the hotheaded Texan away.

The upshot of this unfortunate affair came only recently. Senator Bailey was offered the minority leadership of the upper house and declined it on the ground that he was not sufficiently amiable, evidently referring to the Beveridge incident. Despite his refusal of the formal leadership, however, Bailey is the unquestioned minority leader of the United States senate.

Admired His Nerve.

Joseph Weldon Bailey was born in Copiah county, Miss., Oct. 6, 1863. He was a self-willed boy and ran away from home to keep from going to school, but after roughing it for a time returned with a chastened spirit and set to work in earnest in gaining an education. So well did he succeed that he was admitted to the bar at the age of twenty. A year later he was a district elector on the Cleveland and Hendricks ticket. His native county did not furnish the field he desired for his talents, however, and an uncle, Joseph Weldon of Philadelphia, sent the young man money to go to Texas. Bailey hung out his shingle in Gainesville, Tex., in 1885. Dressed in the old time statesman garb—all of black, with long coat, low cut vest, white tie, broad soft hat and hair hanging below his collar, the six foot youth made a sensation even in Texas. This garb had not seemed out of place in Copiah county, but it was a rife exaggeration for Gainesville. In a saloon one day a cowboy made some remarks about the white tie. Bailey said nothing, but left the saloon. A few minutes later he reappeared with a revolver. He invited any of the many cowboys present to make further remarks about the Bailey neckwear. None of them accepted the challenge, but they admired the nerve of the young lawyer so much that they have been whooping it up for Joe Bailey ever since.

In 1893 Mr. Bailey had made enough of an impression in his adopted state to be chosen elector at large on the presidential ticket. Two years later he was sent to congress. He remained in the house ten years. In 1907 he was made the Democratic candidate for speaker and as a consequence during the remaining four years of his service was floor leader for his party.

In 1896 Bailey was very much opposed to the nomination of Bryan, and some of Bryan's friends stated that it was because of envy. The Texan himself said it was because Bryan was not a Democrat, but a Populist. After the nominations were made, however, Mr. Bailey loyally supported the ticket. He wanted to retire from the house and from politics at that time, but his constituents would not permit it.

Believes in Individual Liberty.

President McKinley once invited Bailey and a number of other house members to attend a reception. The Texas man declined on the ground that he did not want to appear in evening dress. He resented that fashion should dictate to him what he should wear at any time. He wanted individual liberty in sartorial matters as well as in politics, religion and other things. At that time he wore the same habiliments winter and summer, morning, noon, evening, and at all other times so far as known. Moreover, he believed that the social life of Washington, robbed public men of their time, and he would have none of it. The incident caused the independent Texan to be made the butt of paragraphs the country over. Since then Bailey has come to be more of a conformist in the matter of togs. He now dons a sack coat if he feels like it, wears ties of other hues than white, having been seen on more than one occasion in a flaming red four-in-hand, and even puts on the conventional evening outfit on occasion. He also has his hair cut in the prevailing mode. All this shows that Senator Bailey is big enough to change his mind even in the matter of clothes, that he has recognized the truth that independence is not necessarily idiosyncrasy and that a man can be so independent that he need not seem so, at least to the extent of flaunting it in minor and non-essential things.

The biggest thing about Joseph W. Bailey, and he really is a big man in spite of some personal flaws, is that he sees the fundamental truths of the new school of liberty; he is imbued with the distinctive spirit of Americanism; he is a convert to the gospel of democracy. For example, he has a clear vision of the truth that governments do not make men, but men make governments; that the best thing to be done for a people is to let them alone, throw them on their own resources and thus permit them to develop their own inherent powers. He also sees that favoritism of any sort, either in the making or administering of the laws, is the destruction of republican institutions. His thorough grounding of himself in the constitution, which he regards as our political ark of the covenant, has been a peculiar strength to Senator Bailey. In that he has caught the viewpoint of the fathers—that liberty is law, equally, impartially and justly administered. Now, when he sees the farther fact that political freedom and industrial despotism cannot exist side by side his political creed will be well nigh impregnable.

Mr. Bailey's rate bill speech is universally admitted to have been one of the greatest ever delivered in the senate. The best part of it is that in which he showed that the inferior federal courts hold their powers only from congress. In Washington the next day it was freely said that it had placed the Texas man in the presidential class; and that if the Democratic party follows the present talk of going south for its candidate Joseph W. Bailey will inevitably be the man.

J. A. EDGERTON.

Where It Landed Him.

"What a penchant young Goldaro has for getting at the inside of things." "What now?" "Bank, then jail."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

A HOME ON WHEELS.

Novel Vehicle to Be Used Over Steam and Trolley Roads.

A new sort of home on wheels is about to come out of southern California. A description of it given by the Los Angeles Herald suggests in some respects the wide family perambulators which roving bands of gypsies have made familiar in some parts of the east, says the New York Post. The vehicle, however, is arranged for traveling over steam and trolley roads as well as highways. Its inventor, Dr. B. M. Lawrence, describes it thus: "It is built with a frame covered with canvas. There is a door on each side and a window on each end, to be opened or closed at will. The inside has an adjustable partition crosswise, near the center, which divides the living room from the kitchen. In the center, hinged to the partition, is a table on each side, resting on a center table. These tables are used for mirrors when turned up in the partition and fastened. The living room contains library shelves and a wardrobe. In the kitchen are the pantry, cupboard, gasolene stove and sink. The seats extending along the sides are utilized on the principle of folding lounges for beds. The corners are arranged for carrying water and oil. The front seat can be converted into a bed, with canvas placed over it. It is arranged with adjustable trucks and wheels for steam and trolley cars. It can also be drawn by horses or trailed behind automobiles." A few more such devices for making the "simple life" comfortable and easy may induce a larger number of the over-worked to take to the road. A gypsy's van is well enough, but for your captious modern camper it is just as well to furnish a folding bed and a choice library of authors who have preached about out of doors.

Reassuring.

The people of San Francisco need not be greatly alarmed over the fact that another slight earthquake shock has been felt in that city, says the Columbia State. For at least three weeks after the great shock of Aug. 31, 1905, the city of Charleston was visited by slight shocks daily. But none of them was dangerous and finally they ceased altogether.

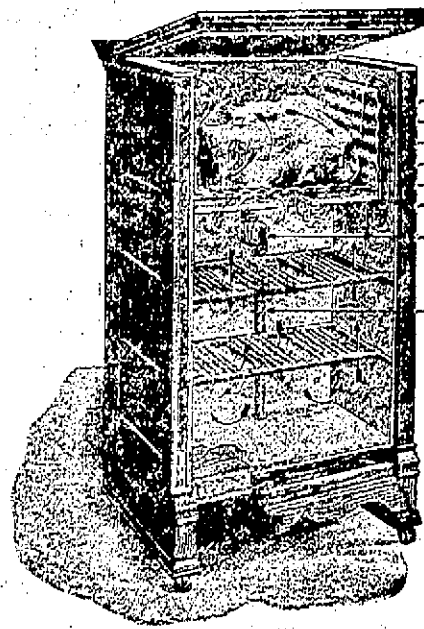
A Competitive Rat Club.

A Pembury (Sussex, England) man recently invented a new trap for rodents, and now, says the London Express, a competitive rat club has been formed, and prizes will be offered to the member who exhibits the best specimen.

The Grand Manner.

No one will be a martyr and reintroduce the grand manner into a scoffing world. Yet one occasionally escapes in fancy into the older world dead a century or more, wherein human beings had time and inclination for something more than the scrappy politeness which is all we deal out to-day.—Week's Survey.

"The Cold Storage"



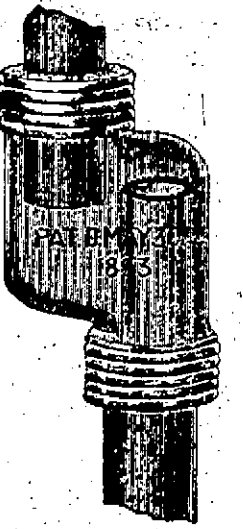
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proposed that they put the question to the next ten members of the press gallery they met. The result was that every one gave the same answer. The last of the ten was a reporter from Boston, and that settled it. When a Boston man admits that anything good can come out of Texas that particular Texas product must be very good indeed.

There is no evidence that Steffens went to Bailey on the subject of civic virtue. If he had done so the Texas senator would doubtless have agreed that civic virtue is all right, provided it is in strict accordance with the constitution. If it is unconstitutional he would have nothing to do with it.

Bailey is strong on the constitution. He is admitted to be the greatest constitutional lawyer in the senate. Even Spooner would admit it since Bailey got through with him.

The senator from Texas is also very much of a Democrat, both with a big "D" and with a little "d." We all know what Shakespeare said about greatness, that "some are born great, some achieve greatness and some have greatness thrust upon them." Well, Bailey got his democracy in all three ways. He was born a Democrat, he achieved democracy, and he had democracy thrust upon him. In native parlance, "he jest couldn't escape it now."

His Start in Life.

Two stories are told of the manner in which Bailey got his start that are worth repeating. After he had settled in Texas he was made a delegate to a congressional convention. He walked to the place of meeting and on the way came up with a farmer, who asked the

was stampeding in his direction. Finally he struck on an expedient. Mounting a chair, he announced that he was not yet twenty-five, the constitutional age. This of course settled the matter, and his candidate was named. In his self-abnegation, however, Mr. Bailey had failed to state that he would have been old enough before the next congress met. Two years later he announced himself openly as a candidate and was nominated hands down.

Bailey's first speech in congress was a revelation to the older members. It related to the rules committee, or "house machine," and so went into the history and fundamental principles of the subject that it made the Texan, who was then the youngest member of the body, a marked man from that day. He was congratulated by leading men on both sides of the chamber, even Thomas B. Reed adding his praises.

No Mean Antagonist.

When Bailey became minority leader of the house he was often pitted against Reed, who was then speaker. The clashes of the two were worth a journey to see. Reed was more amiable and had a keener and more sarcastic wit, besides being a more experienced parliamentarian, but the Texan's solid qualities, his mastery of his subjects and his force as a debater made him no mean antagonist even for the man from Maine.

After going to the senate, Bailey one day got into a controversy with the irrepressible Beveridge. The Texan thought he had been insulted by the Hoosier senator and after the body adjourned went to him and demanded a retraction. This Beveridge refused

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